Certificate of Mailing with Express Mail No. EF15 ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER FORM PTO-1390 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (REV 9-2001) WSP:205 US TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES U.S. APPLN. NO. (IF KNOWN, SEE 37 CFR 1.5) DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) **CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371** PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED INTERNATIONAL APPLN. NO. INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE September 6, 2000 September 23, 1999 PCT/DE00/03117 TITLE OF INVENTION Method for Conditioning foundry moulding sand and a Device Therefor APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Paul Eirich, et al. Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. This is an express request to promptly begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must 3. include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. The U.S. has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31). A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) 5. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). a. 🔲 has been communicated by the International Bureau. ь. 🛚 is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). 6. 🛛 is attached hereto has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). b. 🔯 Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) 7. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). a. 🗍 have been communicated by the International Bureau. b. [7] c. 🔲

have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.

have not been made and will not be made.

## An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 8.

- An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 9.
- An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under 10. PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

## Items 11. to 16. below concern document(s) or information included:

- An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 11. 🔲
- An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 12.
- A FIRST preliminary amendment. 13.
- 14. 🔲 A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
- A substitute specification. 15. 🔲
- A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. (3 Powers of Attorney attached) 16. 🖂
- A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825. 17. 🔲
- A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 18. 🔲
- A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 19. 🔲
- Other items of information: Statement of Herbert Durr 20. 🛛

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## STATEMENT OF HERBERT DURR

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

- I, Herhert Durr, hereby declare as follows:
- 1. THAT, I was erroneously included as an inventor with respect to International Application No. PCT/DE00/03117, filed September 6, 2000, and the U.S. National Phase of that PCT application assigned U.S. Serial No. 10/088,888;
  - 2. THAT, the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention;
- 3. THAT, I request to be removed as an inventor from the above application and an Oath or Declaration under 37 CFR 1.497(d) listing the correct inventors is being submitted simultaneously with this Statement; and
- 4. THAT, I declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false

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